

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sidney Wayne Yeomans et al.
Examiner: A. Kovacs
Serial No.: Divisional Application for 09/321,816 Group Art Unit 3671
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For: HEADER FOR A HARVESTER HAVING AN INTEGRAL TRANSPORT
SYSTEM

Moline, IL 61265
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Preliminary Amendment for Divisional Application

The Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, after the title, please insert the following sentence -- This application is a divisional application of application serial number 09/321,816, filed May 28, 1999. --.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel claim 1-26 and 30-39.

Please add the following new claims.

40. (NEW) The header as defined by claim 27 further comprising mounting posts on the main frame and a sleeve on the light bars disposed on the